

Subject: Endorsement Requirements for Child Residential Services.

Attached are Child Residential Treatment Provider endorsement check sheets for Level II program type with 27G.1300 license; Level III with 27G .1700 license and Level IV with 27G. .1800 checksheets .

As specified in Communication Bulletin # 055,
Child Residential Treatment Services. Phase VI (September 1, 2006-December 31, 2006

The following are to apply for endorsement by the LME during Endorsement Phase VI:

- All providers of the services listed above who were not enrolled with Division of Medical Assistance by the July 15, 2006 deadline for Child Residential Rules Transition
- Providers of services listed above that have less than 4 beds and that are not currently enrolled with Medicaid
- Providers that have changed licensure category
- Providers that are currently licensed and enrolled but whose enrollment expires before January 1, 2007

Note also:

- Prior to December 31, 2006, child residential providers that are currently enrolled with Medicaid and whose DFS license expires after Dec 2006 are required to sign the MOA with the LME(s) in whose catchment area(s) the provider is located.
- All other Child Residential Treatment Services providers that are currently enrolled with Medicaid must apply for endorsement by the LME at least 90 days prior to the expiration of their DFS license.
- The Endorsement Policy Amendment in Communication Bulletin #055 states that providers who are conditionally endorsed after June 15, 2006 must be fully staffed (have adequate numbers of qualified staff per the service definition) and be accepting referrals or providing services (site and service specific) to consumers within 60 days of DMA direct enrollment for that residential service.